

## PERSONAL MENTION.

W. J. Bone and wife of Fort Worth are guests at the Bristol.

Mrs. Joe E. Hadden is now located at her mother's, 2517 Center street.

Captain T. B. Yale, a well-known citizen of Austin, is located at the Bristol.

Mrs. O. H. P. Russell will leave tonight for El Paso, where she goes for her health.

Mrs. M. Goodman of Lott, Texas, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. Stein at 1819 Jackson street.

Mrs. H. D. Garrison and child of Nacogdoches are visiting Mrs. E. H. Vasmir at the Bristol.

O. H. P. Russell has gone on a business trip to be out of the city until the last of the week.

Miss Jeanette Woodard of Spencer, W. Va., is visiting Houston, the guest of Mrs. F. L. Phillips.

Mr. Charles B. Well left last night for New York on a business trip. He will be absent two weeks.

Mr. C. M. Norton, Jr., has returned from Quiverton where he has been for the past week on business.

Miss Ouchette of Orange, who has been visiting Mrs. Williams Christian, will be with Mrs. J. H. Kirby after Monday for a short stay.

Miss Myrtle Lockett of Brenham, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Carrie Eyster, 1407 Leeland, returned home yesterday accompanied by Miss Eyster.

Mrs. Kate S. Macneil and daughter, Miss Bernice, left for their home at Bastrop Thursday after several weeks' visit to her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seigler, 1307 Gray avenue.

Mr. G. A. Rick, manager for Mr. H. Ward, left last night for Chicago and Grand Rapids on a business trip. Mr. Rick will be absent about two weeks arranging for shipments of new furniture.

Mrs. Charles H. Zimmer and daughter, Mrs. Edna Zimmer of Springdale, left Wednesday over the Houston and Texas Central and Rock Island for Caldwell, Kan., to spend a month with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Zimmer.

## CITY BREVITIES.

The Carlsberg Bowling club will contest today for the Langemann medal.

There is an undelivered telegram at the Postal telegraph office, 118 Main street, for Mrs. V. Smith.

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The Sharks Benevolent club will have their regular meeting at 4:30 this afternoon at their hall on Commerce street.

The fire department was called out at 8:40 yesterday afternoon by an alarm from box 46 for a grass fire on Walker and La Branch.

The detective department of the police force is holding a pair of old style earrings for the owner. The earrings were recovered yesterday.

A regular meeting of the ladies of the Yelverton Arms association will be held Wednesday evening at 4 o'clock at the parlors of the Yelverton.

Rev. Aaron Sengerhammer will preach today at 2:30 in the German Lutheran church, corner of Texas avenue and 34th street. All Scandinavians are welcome.

The official inspection of the new sewerage plant has been delayed in consequence of the serious illness of Mr. A. A. Rosner, the chairman of the board of public works.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph company for L. E. Daniel, E. H. Branch, T. H. Sayers, A. C. Conner and George O'Connell.

The Brass Band of the city is practicing in the park today.

Mr. L. S. Kaufman, representing the Louisiana Plantation melasses candy, is in the city. This is another product of the extensive firm of Perry & Sons, Shreveport, La.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at the First Presbyterian church at the close of this morning's service. The pastor is anxious that all members of the church be present.

The regular monthly meeting of the Elks' lodge will be held this afternoon at 8 o'clock at the Elks' hall on Hamilton street, near Preston avenue, which will be an election of officers.

The regular pastor of the Tabernacle Methodist church, corner Folk and Caroline, will absent on a visit to his old home in Georgia and the pulpit will be filled by Rev. D. Allen at 11 o'clock and by Rev. William Bradburn at 7:30 today. Sunday school at 9:30.

The services today by Sid Williams, the evangelist, will be held at the Liberty Street Baptist church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. today. At 3:30 Mr. Williams will deliver his famous "Red Eye" lecture, to hear which he invites the saloon men of the city to be present. The subject at night will be "The Judgment."

## THE BRITISH CLUB

Permanently Organized by the Election of Officers.

The British club met last night for the purpose of permanent organizing. It is a splendid meeting, full of enthusiasm, good cheer, music and eloquence. The evening was pleasantly passed listening to the speeches of the officers and the songs and piano solos of several gentlemen who volunteered.

Addresses were delivered by Mr. J. G. Beard, Dr. Henry Barnston and Mr. Fred P. Weaver.

Forty-five members were initiated and the following officers were elected:

President, Mr. J. G. Beard; vice president, Mr. Henry Barnston; secretary and treasurer, Mr. F. P. Weaver.

Board of directors: Mr. A. J. Dalton, Mr. J. B. Cade, Dr. A. L. Fuller, Mr. J. B. Lewis, Mr. E. Raphael and Mr. A. T. Stanbury.

The object of the British club of Houston is to promote sociability among the British citizens of Houston. It is proposed to meet regularly for the purpose of holding musicales and pleasant evenings, and to conduct in a small way with money in chess, checkers, chess and the musicals. It is expected that, as the membership increases, the club will gradually be added a bowling alley, billiard tables and giving occasional dances.

## A Phenomenal Achievement of an American Industry.

The office in charge of the Brewery's Revenue Department, upon expressing his New Year's congratulations to Mr. Adolphus Bush, President of the American-Brewery Association, submitted to him a careful and complete statement of the brewery's last year's output, showing the enormous sale of 1,000,415 barrels of beer, which netted the Government an income of \$1,801,812.

Considering that in the birthplace of King Gambrinus, Austria and Bavaria, there are countries that have been in existence for centuries and some even in this country, which have been established more than a hundred years, whose output does not reach one-half of the output of the American-Brewery Association, it is a most remarkable achievement. This record was made in less than 10 years and under the able and continuous management of its present President.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

I respectfully call the attention of those who have not paid their city taxes for 1901 to the following: Section 26, article 10, Revised Code of Ordinances of the City of Houston, which says: "Immediate payment of taxes is required of every taxpayer after the first day of January in every year. It shall be the duty of the assessor and collector of taxes to prepare a roll, containing a description of all the property, and a list of the names of the owners of the same, and to deliver the same to the assessor on or before the first day of January in every year. The assessor shall call the roll of the property and the names of the owners of the same, and shall cause the same to be read in public, and shall identify the property and show the amount of tax due on the same." Those who would do well to call the office of the assessor and tax collector and settle their taxes and keep their names off the delinquent roll.

James P. Welch,  
City Assessor and Collector.

Levy's  
White Fair Sale  
Muslin Underwear

At 25c a Garment  
Value 50c.  
Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

At 30c a Garment  
Value 50c to 65c.  
Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

At 40c a Garment  
Value 60c to 75c.  
Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

Ladies' Well Made Cambric Drawers, full size, wide hem and neatly tucked worth 25c a pair, at 12½c  
Ladies' Well Made Cambric Drawers, wide hem-stitched, tucked, umbrella ruffles, worth 30c pair, at 15c

At 50c a Garment  
Value 70c to 85c.  
Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

At 70c a Garment  
Value 90c to 1.15.  
Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

Very Remarkable Sale of  
Fine Black Woolen Goods.

At 60c a Yard.  
Venetians, Granites, Poplins and Chevots, regular value 1.00 a yard.

At 70c a Yard.  
Venetians, Zibelines, Granites, Poplins and Broadcloths, regular value 1.15, 1.25 and 1.35 a yard.

At 98c a Yard.  
Broadcloths, Espingles, Poplins, Homespuns and Chevots, regular values 1.50, 1.75 and 1.95.

Colored Woolens Greatly Under Value  
High Grade New Desirable Goods in the best weaves and colors of the season are here, priced much under their worth.

At 10c a Yard.  
36-inch Henriettas, Cashmeres and Serges, in full line of colors, values 25c and 35c a yard.

At 25c a Yard.  
36-inch Plain and Fancy Weaves, full line of colors, values 40c and 60c a yard.

At 50c a Yard.  
Elegant assortment of the most popular weaves and colors of the season, value 75c to 85c a yard.

Colored Broadcloth.  
They were formerly 1.25 and 1.50 a yard.

At 98c a Yard.  
French Flannel Waistings. Our entire line that were 75c to 85c a yard.

Tremendous Price Reductions in  
Heavy Curtains and Portieres

3d Floor.  
From our immense line of Curtains and Portieres you are sure to find the ones that suit you and you can be certain that the values we offer are the best obtainable.

Good Quality Tapestry Portieres, fringed top and bottom, colors blue, green and red, value 1.75, a pair..... 1.00

Heavy Pretty Tapestry Portieres, fringe top and bottom, colors blue, green and red, value 2.25, a pair..... 1.50

An elegant assortment of Pretty Figured Tapestry and Bagdad Stripe Curtains, fringed top and bottom, regular values 3.00 to 3.50, a pair..... 2.50

Solid Colored Heavy Mercerized Curtains, heavy valance fringe at top and knotted fringe at bottom; these make very well hangings; in all shades to match room decorations, value 5.50, a pair..... 4.50

Odd Lots of Curtains.  
100 Pairs Ruffled Swiss Curtains, 3 yards long, made of good, serviceable material, full ruffles, worth 1.00, a pair..... 50c

20 Pairs Ruffled Swiss Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, plain and striped Swiss, well made, worth 1.25, a pair..... 1.00

3 1/4 and 3 3/8 yard Lace Curtains, pretty patterns, only two to four pairs of a kind, were 1.50 to 2.00 a pair, now, 1.00 a pair..... 1.00

1 1/2 and 4 yard Lace Curtains, handsome designs, good qualities, only a few of them, were 2.50 and 3.00 a pair, now, a pair..... 1.50

LEVY BROTHERS'  
Great White Fair Sale  
of High Class Muslin Underwear

Will present a scene of busy activity tomorrow. A host of Houston's fair sex will be there reveling amid the snowy heaps of dainty Muslin Undergarments that are piled on table after table on the second floor. Of course you will be among them! You can not afford to miss the treat of seeing and buying the greatest values in High Class Muslin Underwear ever offered in the city. Each season since we inaugurated "The White Fair Sale" of Muslin Underwear we have endeavored to present to you better values, each season we have brought in larger quantities, each season we have demanded better prices, better material and better workmanship of the manufacturer. This season our purchases were enormous and we feel confident that we have brought the garments to the highest perfection and the values the best possible. Come in and compare the garments sold here with ones at the same or even a higher price from elsewhere—our prices and garments will bear well the comparison and we are willing to stand by your judgment.

OUR JANUARY CLEARING SALE  
Every Section in This Great Store

Is now teeming with generously good genuine bargains in reliable, desirable and wanted kinds of merchandise. Our Ready Made Department, on second floor, presents a host of good things for Ladies', Misses' and Children's wear that are offered at remarkably under value prices. Every section on our first floor is replete with rare bargain buying opportunities. Remember we never misquote values and every article sold at this store has our personal guarantee.

Our Elegant Line of  
Three-quarter Length Coats.

Handsomely trimmed in panne velvet, several styles to choose from, values 17.50 to 25.00. Your choice..... 12.50

Very Swell Cashmere Wrappers  
Made up in elegant styles, very handsomely trimmed, are now offered at a sacrifice. The ones that were 5.00 to 6.50 at..... 3.50

The ones that were 7.50 to 11.00 at..... 5.00

Ladies' Madras and Gingham Waists  
Manufacturers' Odd Lots, new, perfect garments, that are made up in the best styles of pretty, reliable materials.

Values 1.00 and 1.25..... At 49c  
Values 1.50 and 1.75..... At 75c  
Values 2.00 and 2.25..... At 98c

Children's Pretty Box Coats

In Blues, Reds, Greens, etc., nicely trimmed and plain ones, some lined with satin, some unlined, ages 4 to 12 years, values 4.00 to 6.00..... 2.50

Children's Very Swell Box Coats

An elegant assortment of styles, choice material, some trimmed and others tailor stitched, sizes run from 2 years to 10 years, values 5.00 to 8.00. Tomorrow and as long as they last, your choice..... 3.50

Two-Year-Old Child's Long Coats, in pretty, bright colors, several nice styles that were 5.00 to 7.50 at..... 3.50

A Counter at 1.00

For choice of garments, which will include—Children's Dresses (4 years only) that were 3.50 and 4.00.

Children's Reefers—2, 3 and 4 years, values as high as 2.50.

Infants' Short Coats—Pretty trimmed and lined, values 3.00 to 3.50.

Cloth and Plush Capes.

Splendid qualities, only one and two of a kind, values 4.00 to 8.00. Tomorrow, choice..... 2.50

Plush Capes that were good values 1.50 at 2.50 and 3.00..... 1.50

Odd Lot of  
Misses' Woolen Top Skirts.

Good Quality, Serviceable Colors, Well Made Garments that were 4.00 to 6.00, at..... 2.50

Standard Patterns  
For February now in, Easter styles.

Our Entire Stock of  
Gents' Fine Smoking Jackets

That we formerly sold at 6.00 to 8.00 are now offered in this sale at, each..... 3.00

Flannel and Satine Waists.

An unusually attractive lot of Waists are out on the counter. Former prices were 1.25 and 1.50, now..... 75c

Elegant French Flannel Waists in the best and most popular styles of the season. The odd ones left from the season's selling, values 3.50 and 4.00, at..... 1.98

Very Swell Flannel Waists, only a few of them, very choice styles, values 5.00 to 6.00, at..... 3.50

Clearing Sale Kid Gloves, 49c a pair.

All the odd numbers and sizes in our stock put in at one price. If your size is here you can't afford to miss buying the gloves offered at this price. Values as high as 1.50 a pair and all perfect gloves.

Odd Corsets 98c.  
Values 1.75 to 3.00.

The styles that we have only a few of or that we are not going to carry are all out at 98c each. They are the best makes, popular and perfecting styles and excellent values.

MILLINERY.

All of our Trimmed Hats at less than half former price.

Walking Hats, values 1.00 to 2.00, at..... 49c  
Trimmed Walking Hats, values 2.50 to 5.00, at..... 1.00

Our entire stock of Phipps & Atchison's Fine Tailored Hats that were 5.00 to 7.00, at each..... 3.00

Knit Underwear

Children's Knit Drawers and Shirts, good heavy fleece, our regular 25c and 35c kind, at..... 19c

Children's Knit Drawers and Shirts, nice quality wool, our regular 75c kind, at..... 49c

Ladies' and Children's Knit Union Suits, heavy fleece, regular 1.00 and 1.25 kinds, at..... 75c

Infants' Knit Wrappers, splendid quality, regular 35c line, at..... 19c

Outing Kimonos.

Heavy Double Fleece Outing Kimonos in pretty patterns, well made and full cut garments, worth 1.50 and 1.75, at..... 98c

Pink and Blue Fleece Back Pique Kimonos that are trimmed with wide bands of cream outing, regular price 2.25, at..... 1.50

Coque Feather Boas.

Beautiful Soft Fluffy Boas priced for less than half value.

3.00 to 4.00 values..... 1.50  
5.00 to 7.50 values at..... 2.50  
8.00 to 10.00 values at..... 3.50

Unmatchable Values in High Grade Staples.

10-4 Unbleached Sheeting, regular value 20c a yard..... 12½c

10-4 Bleached Sheeting, regular value 25c a yard..... 15c

36-inch Cambric Muslin, 8 1/4-3c kind, 20 yards for..... 1.00

36-inch Lonsdale Finish Bleached Domestic, 8 1/4-3c kind 15 yards for..... 1.00

Lovely Flannelettes, our regular 10c kind, 10 yards for..... 39c

All of our beautiful Flannelettes that were 15c a yard, now..... 8½c

Bleached and unbleached Cotton Flannels, regular 8 1/4-3c kind, 10 yards for..... 45c

81x90 Sheets, torn, hemmed and ironed, regular 60c quality..... 45c

36x42 Pillow Cases, torn, hemmed and ironed, regular 10c kind, 3 for..... 25c

Extraordinary Good Silk Values.

A Very Choice Lot of Plain Colored and Fancy Silk in all the newest shades, values 75c and 1.00 at, a yard..... 25c

Another Choice Lot of Plain Taffetas, fancies, changeables, etc., value 1.25 a yard..... 49c

Children's Well Made Tucked Cambric Drawers, full sizes and nicely finished.

Ages 1 to 3 8c a pair. Ages 4 to 7 10c a pair. Ages 8 to 14 12½c a pair.

At 2.98 a Garment  
Values 3.75 to 4.50.

Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

At 1.98 a Garment  
Values 2.25 to 2.60.

Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Skirts. Every garment full cut and perfectly made of reliable and durable materials.

Thoroughly Reliable Hosiery  
Is the only kind sold at this store and we offer tomorrow extraordinary price reductions.

Ladies' Fast Black Hose, 5c a pair.  
A good serviceable quality that we have been selling at 10c a pair.

Ladies' Drop Stitch Black Hose, 24c a pair.  
Pretty quality, full finished, our regular 49c line.

Ladies' Black Lace Hose, 35c a pair.  
Lovely quality that we have always sold at 50c a pair.

Ladies' Black Lace Hose, 48c a pair.  
A most excellent quality in beautiful patterns that we have been selling at 65c a pair.

Ladies' Black Lace Hose, 79c a pair.  
All of our very swell patterns and qualities that have been selling at 1.00 a pair.

Children's Close Rib Black Hose, 10c a pair.  
A splendid quality, double heel, toe and knee, our regular 15c line.

Children's Ribbed Black Lisle Hose, 24c a pair.  
A very fine gauge close rib lisle with double threaded feet and spliced knee, our regular 35c line.

Men's Black and Tan Socks, 10c a pair.  
Extra good wearing quality that we have always sold at 15c a pair.

1902 Embroideries and Laces.  
Crowds of delighted buyers have thronged the isles in front of our Embroidery section every day since we opened up the new embroideries. You will be astonished and delighted at the very remarkable values that we are showing, and then you must remember that when you buy Embroideries and Laces at this store you buy the best to be had. We call your particular attention to the popular price counters, they are loaded with good, durable Laces and Embroideries at prices that are much under what you would have to pay elsewhere.

At 5c a Yard  
Good durable qualities and pretty patterns, such as you are accustomed to pay 8c, 10c and 12c a yard.

At 10c a Yard  
New neat patterns and good wearing qualities, sold usually at 15c to 18c a yard.

At 15c a Yard  
Beautiful patterns and splendid qualities that are good values at 22½c and 25c a yard.

At 25c a Yard  
A splendid assortment of new patterns on good durable materials, values 35c and 40c a yard.

At 35c a Yard  
We are showing an elegant line of very handsome wide Embroideries worth all of 50c and 60c a yard.

"SOROSIS"  
The perfect American Shoe for Women  
All widths. All sizes.

3.50  
A pair.

Choice Values in Bed Spreads

Large Size Bed Spreads, good heavy quality, handsome patterns, worth 1.00, 75c for..... 1.19

Heavy Knotted Fringe Large Size Bed Spreads, value 1.50, for..... 1.19

Wool Eiderdown.

Pink, Blue, Cream and Red, good heavy quality, that sold for 25c a yard, at..... 15c

Full line Colors in extra fine grade, that was 50c, a yard..... 39c

Irish Point Scarfs and Squares.

36 and 54-inch Scarfs and 30-inch Squares, were 25c each, now..... 15c